

Department of Pesticide Regulation



NOTICE TO INTERESTED PARTIES

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HEALTHY SCHOOLS ACT OF 2000

ASSEMBLY BILL 2260 AVAILABILITY OF INFORMATION

The Department of Pesticide Regulation (DPR) is pleased to announce the posting of information about its School Integrated Pest Management (IPM) Program and the Healthy Schools Act of 2000 (Assembly Bill 2260) to its home page. See DPR's Web site, www.cdpr.ca.gov, and click on the School IPM link. DPR provides this information to assist school districts with the requirements of Assembly 2260, and to provide parents and others general information about these activities.

DPR's Web site includes a program overview (see enclosed copy); a summary of pest management policies, programs, and practices in selected California public school districts; a sample information sheet about Assembly Bill 2260; a sample letter explaining written notification about expected pesticide use and registry; sample annual notification of pesticide use; a sample notice for specific pesticide application; and a sample pesticide application sign for a posting. You may download any of these sample documents.

The site also provides other useful information, such as links to DPR's Registration Branch Chemical Ingredients database, links to other Web pages with information about school IPM programs, policies, and IPM practices, and links to Material Safety Data Sheets for specific pesticides.

You may request a copy of any of these documents in writing from:

Department of Pesticide Regulation Environmental Monitoring and Pest Management Branch School IPM Program P.O. Box 4015 Sacramento, CA 95814-4015

If you have questions or would like further information about this program, please contact Dr. Nita Davidson by telephone at (916) 324-4100, or by e-mail at <school_ipm@empm.cdpr.ca.gov>.

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